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MS AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is in response to an Office action herein, mailed 18 May 2007, time for response to which was set to expire 18 August 2007. All pending claims were rejected and the rejection was made final.

Applicants very much appreciate the consideration and thoughtfulness extended their undersigned representative at an interview on 19 July 2007. The discussion was most helpful. Careful consideration has been given to the grounds for rejection and to the discussion at the interview, and the following amendment and discussion are offered in response. Reconsideration is respectfully requested.

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